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In re Application of:

John J. Harrington, et al.

Serial No.: 09/484,331

Filed: January 18, 2000

For: Compositions and Methods for NOTATENT

Targeted Activation of Endogenous Genes

Art Unit: 1632

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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION

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SIR: This is a request for filing a

[X] Continuation [] Divisional Application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) of pending prior application Serial No 09/484,331 filed January 18, 2000 for Compositions and Methods for Non-Targeted Activation of Endogenous Genes

- 1. [] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
- 2. [] This application is being filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. [] Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
 - b. [] The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
- 3. [] A new power of attorney or authorization of agent is enclosed.
- 4. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:
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- 9. [X] Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment and Remarks under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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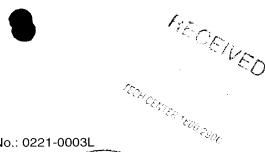
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified

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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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